

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS  
FOR THE COMMISSIONER OF HUMAN SERVICES

In the Matter of the Immediate Suspension  
of the License of Joseph Walter Lewis  
(a.k.a. Walter Joseph Lewis) and Mari  
Granderson-Lewis to Provide Family Child  
Care under Minnesota Rules, parts  
9502.0300 to 9502.0445.

**RECOMMENDATION ON  
WITHDRAWAL OF APPEAL**

This matter is currently scheduled for hearing on Thursday, June 28, 2001 before Administrative Law Judge Steve M. Mihalchick. However, Assistant Hennepin County Attorney Vicki Vial-Taylor notified the Administrative Law Judge by letter dated June 11, 2001, that the licenseholders do not want to proceed with the appeal of the immediate suspension of their day care license. The withdrawal was confirmed in a letter received by attorney Vial-Taylor from the licenseholders dated June 6, 2001.

Vicki Vial-Taylor, Assistant Hennepin County Attorney, 525 Portland Avenue South, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor, Minneapolis, MN 55415 represents the Department of Human Services. Joseph Walter Lewis and Mari Granderson-Lewis, 200 West 33<sup>rd</sup> Street, Minneapolis MN 55408, are not represented by counsel.

Based upon Licenseholders' Withdrawal of the Appeal of the Immediate Suspension of their Family Child Care License, the Administrative Law Judge makes the following:

**RECOMMENDATION**

IT IS HEREBY RESPECTFULLY RECOMMENDED:

That the Commissioner of Human Services DISMISS the Appeal of Joseph Walter Lewis (a.k.a. Walter Joseph Lewis) and Mari Granderson-Lewis and AFFIRM the Immediate Suspension of their Family Child Care License.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of June 2001.

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STEVE M. MIHALCHICK  
Administrative Law Judge